

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
ON APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of: Kenneth D. Pool  
Serial No.: 10/521,933  
Filing Date: December 6, 2005  
Group Art Unit: 2431  
Confirmation No.: 2080  
Examiner: Bryan F. Wright  
Title: *Method for Controlling Access to Informational Objects*

**MAIL STOP APPEAL BRIEF - PATENTS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**REQUEST FOR STATUS OF APPEAL**

The last correspondence received from the United States Patent and Trademark Office was the receipt of an Advisory Action on January 6, 2009. Appellant subsequently filed a Notice of Appeal and Appeal Brief on January 20, 2009. To date, no other correspondence has been received. Appellant respectfully requests status on the pending appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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